

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	: Satou et al.
App. No	: 10/597,941
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For	: BODY REINFORCEMENT DEVICE FOR A VEHICLE
Examiner	: Joseph Pape
Art Unit	: 3612
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RESPONSE TO APRIL 15, 2009 OFFICE ACTION**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 15, 2009, Applicant respectfully submits the following comments and amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.